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WELL KNOWN COUPLE WED.

A. U. DAVIDSON AND MISS GERTRUDE E. MOORE JOIN HANDS FOR LIFE.

A. U. Davidson, a well known young man of Stigler and Miss Gertrude E. Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Moore of near Keota, were married Wednesday morning, the ceremony taking place at the home of the bride's parents. The officiating clergyman was Rev. J. H. Byers, of Stigler, pastor of the Baptist church.

The ceremony was witnessed by only the immediate members of the families of the contracting parties and was followed by the serving of a wedding breakfast. Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Davidson left for Muscogee, where after a visit they will return to Keota and make that place their home.

Mr. Davidson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Davidson, former residents of this city, but now residing at Marion, Ky. He has been engaged in the practice of law since residing at Stigler and has been prominent in Republican political circles. He is popular with his associates, all of whom wish he and his bride, a high accomplished young lady, a happy and prosperous journey through life. —"State Sentinel" Stigler, Okla. of Oct. 13th 1911.

The above news will not be a surprise to Archie's Marion friends, who have had whispers of his matrimonial intentions for several months, and who with one accord will wish him and his bonny bride much joy in their married life.

Narrow Escape

Sunday afternoon the horse driven by R. A. Rodgers, to his runabout became frightened at a passing automobile and was soon unmanageable. After rearing and plunging he fell and broke the shafts and other wise damaged the vehicle which was a new and handsome one. Mr. Rodgers was accompanied by his wife and son, Emmett and Mrs. Annie Rochester his sister-in-law. None of the occupants was hurt, as they escaped by jumping out, and were only badly frightened by their experience.

MYSTERIOUS FIRE AT SHADY GROVE.

Town Nearly Wiped Out by a
\$20,000 Blaze Friday
Night.

Fire destroyed the large mercantile establishment and residence of H. T. Towry at Shady Grove tonight. The loss is estimated at \$20,000. The origin of the fire is not known. For awhile it looked as if the whole town would go up in flames. Providence and Marion were telephoned for help but the fire was finally gotten under control. The Towry establishment was the largest store in town. It was a general store in conjunction with an undertaking establishment. The stock was valued at \$15,000 and the store and dwelling at \$5,000.

Why is it that a fly can always find the hole in a screen from the outside, but never from the inside.

CYCLONE SWEEPS CENTRAL INDIANA.

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 14.—Thirteen buildings were wrecked, four were hurt, one fatally, as the result of the cyclone tonight.

Covington, Ind., Oct. 14.—A cyclone swept this town late this afternoon, but meagre messages report no deaths. Not a shade tree is left standing within the town limits. Debris was piled so high on the Big Four tracks that traffic was delayed several hours. Many minor hurts are reported.

FOR OHIO VALLEY IMPROVEMENT.

Joseph Mason is a member of the Waterways Association at this week convening in Chicago and on Monday said he duly expected to be there. The Lakes-to-the-Gulf project is demanded by the whole people of Illinois almost without exception and again universally so, throughout the great valley of the Ohio and Mississippi rivers. Kick out the paid sharks standing in the way of this project to quickly develop a whole county and let the good work go right on without a further hitch.—Hardin Era.

MULE SCARES COW AND WOMAN IS INJURED.

Dixon, Ky., Oct. 14.—While milking this evening Mrs. Nannie Duncan, aged 50, who lives near here, met with a painful accident. A mule scared Mrs. Duncan's cow, the woman was knocked down and the mule stepped on her right ankle and crushed several bones.

SNOW TWO FEET DEEP

Twenty-three inches of snow fell at Anaconda, Mont., Thursday, prostrating telegraph and telephone wires in all directions, and putting out of commission practically all telephones in the city. The streets are nearly impassable because of deep slush and running water.

WOMEN WILL NOW VOTE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco, Oct. 13.—Woman's suffrage has triumphed in California. Straggling returns wiped out the anti-majority, giving the woman's suffrage a majority of 1,678.

Mammoth Crowd Swells Attendance at One of the Largest Woodmen Gatherings in This Territory.

Evansville, Ind., Oct. 16.—Woodmen of the World stormed Evansville Sunday. Besides those who took part in the celebration it is estimated that ten thousand visitors were attracted to the city from surrounding towns. Sunday was declared to have been the greatest day in history for the local Woodmen. Over seventeen hundred Woodmen from Western Kentucky arrived early in the day on a train which started from Hopkinsville. So many crowded into the coaches that the coal and baggage cars had to be used by the visitors to reach here.

The parade, with seven thousand men in line, marked the opening of the celebration, which closed with a gathering at Cook's park. The competitive drills were one of the most interesting features of the day.

White Oak camp in command of Captain C. K. Wheeler, captured the first prize, while the second trophy went to Independent Camp, in command of Capt. I. Miller.

W. E. Cady, of South Bend, State Manager of the order, was Chief Marshal of the parade, which was one of the largest ever witnessed here. There were twenty-seven uniformed companies in line and a dozen bands furnished music for the marchers. The line of march was about two miles long.

Marion had 121 representatives in the above mentioned crowd, as that number of tickets were sold from here for the special train.

The Rosewood Camp W. O. W. met at the lodge room on Salem street and marched, headed by Marion Silver Cornet Band, to the station. There was a long procession and much enthusiasm. The day was one long to be remembered, as it was pleasant in every way and passed without a mishap. The special with all on board, reached Marion on the return trip at 2 o'clock Monday morning.

CHICKENS THAT CAN TALK.

Fancier Crosses Parrot to Get Green Tinge.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 15.—W. H. McKay, poultry breeder and secretary of the San Joaquin Poultry Association of Stockton, says he conceived the notion that by interbreeding parrots and Black Orpingtons he could get the much desired green tinge for the Orpington feathers. The results were astounding.

There were many faults and discouraging setbacks but McKay kept at work until he not only got the desired green tinge for his Black Orpingtons, but he is now quite certain that he will soon show a breed of chickens that can talk.

"That I will eventually produce a strain of chickens that can be taught to talk like a parrot, I feel certain. Already I have adopted a name—the phonograph hen," said McKay tonight.

"I had no thought of producing a talking hen when I began my experiments and you can imagine my surprise when I began to notice that some of the hens were making noises that sounded suspiciously like words. 'One of the hens can whistle, and another repeats: 'chick, chick, chick,' which is often used by my wife and myself in calling the chickens for their meals."

TOWN OF SEBREE GETS SAVINGS BANK.

Washington, Oct. 14.—The postal savings banks will be established in the following Kentucky postoffices November 10: Morehead, Sebree and Shepherdsville.

SUCCESSFUL? WELL YES!

News reaches us that Eld. J. S. Rowe and estimable wife, of Fayette, Mo., are the proud parents of a ten and one-half pound girl. Bro. Rowe is succeeding admirably as a minister in the Missouri field, although his health has been anything but good during the past year. This man has the best wishes of the Era scribe wherever he is and wherever he goes. He is a power for good wherever he is placed.—Hardin Era.

G. H. Cromwell

Dies in San Antonio, Tex., Former
Citizen of Marion.

News reached here Wednesday of the death of G. H. Cromwell, who died in San Antonio, Texas, Oct. 5th of paralysis. He had been afflicted over two years and had been perfectly helpless for several months.

Mr. Cromwell left Marion about 30 years ago, for the "Great West" and since then has spent most of the time in Texas and Mexico. He has followed his trade, that of contractor and builder, in most of the large cities of Texas. He was at Galveston at the time of the Galveston flood, and all he had was destroyed. His wife (who was a sister of Mrs. E. T. Franklin, Mrs. Anthony Murphy and Mrs. J. R. Threlkeld of Carrsville,) and three daughters were carried out by the waves and were never seen again. His only daughter Miss Effie, died two years after at Ringer Texas. He is survived by one son, Homer, who lives at San Antonio.

The Crittenden Record Press extends its heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved ones.

Meter Drawings For This Week

Result as follows, J. L. Travis, Res. M. E. Fohs, res. H. A. Cameron, res. I. H. Clement office. T. C. Guess res.

FOUR YEAR-OLD CHILD DIES IN FATHER'S ARMS.

Danville, Ky., Oct. 14.—Louis Tamme, four year-old son of Mr. John Tamme, died suddenly yesterday morning. About ten days ago his foot was pierced by a sharp thorn, and since that time he has suffered from insomnia and loss of appetite, but his condition was not considered serious. He appeared to be as well as usual and his father was carrying him around in his arms when the end came.

Death at Shady Grove.

Mrs. Polk Sigler died at her home near Shady Grove, Sunday evening. She had been ill only a few days. The deceased was sixty seven years old and leaves a husband and several children. Providence Enterprise.

Meeting at Dunn Springs.

Bro. H. C. Hopewell of Princeton closed one of the most successful revivals ever held at Dunn Springs, Friday, night. Bro. Hopewell is an all around revivalist, an earnest worker, a splendid organist and singer, and one of the best of preachers. Every service was a good one—many were converted and several joined the church and were baptised Thursday evening by the pastor, Rev. Benjamin Duncan.

ASKS \$20,000 FOR A WORKHOUSE HAIRCUT.

Native of India Asserts He Was Deprived of Property Without Process of Law.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Oct. 14.—William Curry, a native of East India, has given notice of his intention to file a damage suit for \$20,000 against Hamilton county for maltreatment and unlawful deprivation of property.

Curry was arrested for vagrancy and served a term in the workhouse. The rules require that the hair of all prisoners, when long, be cropped close to

the head. Curry's hair was black, and hung down his shoulders, as is the custom in his country. After his release from the workhouse, Curry was advised by lawyers that the county authorities had no right to deprive him of his hair and that he had good grounds for damages. He was advised that the constitution guarantees to every man that he shall not be deprived of his property without due process of law; that this hair was his property and the county had no right to deprive him of it. He also wishes the hair to be produced, which is, of course, impossible.

He asserts that this same hair had been on his head ever since he was born, and had never before been clipped.

Mrs. W. H. Crawford

Entertains.

Mrs. W. H. Crawford entertained at "500" last Saturday afternoon in honor of her sister, Miss Mary Burton McElroy, of Lebanon, Ky. who is her guest until the holidays. Those who enjoyed Mrs. Crawford hospitality were: Misses Nellie Olive, Mildred Moore, Mayme Haynes, Mary Gilbert, Lucile Pope, Clara Hammack, Hazel Pollard, Ruth Croft, Virginia Blue, Isabel Guess, Louise Clement and Linda Jenkins.

BELMONT.

We are having some fine autumn days.

Everybody busy making molasses.

There is moving going on in our neighborhood:—Will Crayne has moved to Piney camp ground; Burk Crider moved to where Rev. J. B. McNeely lived; and J. B. McNeely has moved to Sam Leneave's place.

There was a spelling at Belmont school house Thursday night. Everyone that was present, reported a nice time.

Marion Guess and wife went to town Monday with a load of chickens.

Albert McConnell, of Marion, was in this vicinity last week. While here he purchased a nice bunch of calves from Marion Guess.

Miss Dora Blackburn was the guest of Mrs. Shell Maxwell one night last week.

Mrs. Math Ethridge, who has been on the sick list, is improving.

Quite a number of the boys have gotten them up a nice ball game, which is played on Mrs. Hamby's farm near Starr. Come out and see the game every Saturday afternoon.

Whooping cough and diphtheria is scattered around and about this community.

Shell Maxwell was in the Flat Rock neighborhood last week looking for a place for another year.

John Sigler and family, of Piney Creek neighborhood, passed through here Monday.

Mrs. C. T. Boucher and son, Raymond, of Starr, passed through this beat Saturday enroute to Caldwell Co., to see her people.

Henry Hunt and wife, of Piney Creek, were in this community Saturday.

A little boy of John Wynn's died last week of diphtheria.

Success to the Record-Press.

John M. Asbridge, of Caldwell Springs neighborhood, was here Wednesday to pay his taxes.

Rev. W. R. Gibbs and wife have moved from Sheridan to Marion and will occupy their cottage on Salem street.

Miss Mary Deboe, daughter of former Senator W. J. Deboe, who has been quite ill, was reported better Wednesday at noon.

Hon. O. M. James speaks at Smithland Oct. 25; Hampton Oct. 26; Dycusburg Oct. 27th.

STRUCK IT RICH.

J. Wesley Lamb in Luck As Usual.

The Lamb Coal Co., of Providence Ky., have driven their slope down to and are now driving through No. 11 coal.

They have a Boiler, engine, hoist, and switches which lead out to the I. C. and L. and N. R. R. yards.

The mine and coal rights is a 30 year lease on 70 acres.

Mr. Nesbit the President of the Providence Mining Co. says the mine is worth \$30,000.

John Wesley Lamb of the Marion Coal and Transfer Co., is president of the Co. and one of the principal owners so we learn, and his friends here will be proud to learn of his good fortune. There is no cleverer man.

JEFF RICH

Critically Ill at Ravden's Sanatorium in Evansville, Indiana.

Jeff Rich, who went to Evansville accompanied by his wife last Sunday to visit a specialist and have his eye examined, was operated on at Ravden's sanatorium Monday, and his eye-ball taken out. As we go to press, it is reported by long distance telephone from Evansville, that his condition is critical, and Dr. E. E. Newcom, of Mattoon, his local physician, left Wednesday afternoon for Evansville to be with him. There is said to be no hope for his recovery.

Paducah Cooperage Co., Closed.

Paducah, Ky., Oct. 16.—The Paducah Cooperage Co., a subsidiary of V. J. Blow & Co., which was thrown into involuntary bankruptcy at Nashville, Tenn., has been closed down owing to the embarrassment of the parent institution. The Paducah Cooperage Company operated a large plant here, and it was one of the most prosperous in the city. About seventy-five men were employed at the factory. It was stated that the local plant would probably be put in operation soon.

CORN WANTED—We will pay 65 cents per bushel for old corn, white, and shucked, until Oct. 31, delivered at our mill.

Marion Milling Company.

Mrs. Jake Farris and son, Jesse, and his little daughter, passed through the city Wednesday enroute to Dawson Springs, where Mrs. Farris is to take treatment from Dr. Threlkeld.

The oldest map of the heavens now in existence was made by the Chinese in 600 B. C. It contains 1,460 stars, and is one of the treasures in the National Library at Paris.

What the corn heard with its own ears the potatoes saw with their own eyes.

Few men know what is good for them until some wise woman as told them.

Do not feed your baby every time it cries. Infants suffer for water far more frequently than most people think. When in doubt administer water instead of food.